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UTILITY APPLICATION AND APPLICATION FEE TRANSMITTAL (1.53(b))

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR RECONCILING MULTIPLE INPUTS

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 1 page cover sheet _____
- ☒ 17 page(s) of specification, 1 page(s) of Abstract, 7 page(s) of claims
- ☒ 7 sheets of drawing ☒ formal ☐ informal
- ☐ _____ page(s) of Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☐ Unsigned
- ☐ Newly Executed
- ☐ Copy from prior application

☐ Deletion of inventors including Signed Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d)(2)

☐ Incorporation by Reference: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the combined declaration and power of attorney is supplied herein, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is incorporated herein by reference.

☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

☐ _____ page(s) of Sequence Listing

☐ computer readable disk containing Sequence Listing

☐ Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f) that computer and paper copies of the Sequence Listing are the same

- ☐ Assignment Papers (assignment cover sheet and assignment documents)
 - ☐ A check in the amount of \$40.00 for recording the Assignment.
 - ☐ Assignment papers filed in parent application Serial No. _____.
 - ☐ Certification of chain of title pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b).
- ☐ Foreign priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 from _____ Patent Application(s) No. _____ dated _____.
- ☐ Priority document(s) will be submitted at a later date.
- ☐ Priority document(s) is/are submitted herewith.
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
 - ☐ Copy of _____ cited references
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Return receipt postcard (MPEP 503)
- ☐ This is a ☐ continuation ☐ divisional ☐ continuation-in-part (C-I-P) of prior application serial no. _____ filed, _____ which a continuation of _____ filed _____.
- ☐ A preliminary Amendment is enclosed. (Claims added by this Amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.
- ☐ The status of the parent application is as follows:
 - ☐ A Petition For Extension of Time and a Fee therefor has been or is being filed in the parent application to extend the term for action in the parent application until _____.
 - ☐ A copy of the Petition for Extension of Time in the co-pending parent application is attached.
 - ☐ No Petition For Extension of Time and Fee therefor are necessary in the co-pending parent application.
- ☐ Please abandon the parent application at a time while the parent application is pending or at a time when the petition for extension of time in that application is granted and while this application is pending has been granted a filing date, so as to make this application co-pending.
 - ☐ Transfer the drawing(s) from the patent application to this application.
 - ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
This is a ☐ continuation ☐ divisional ☐ continuation-in-part of co-pending application Serial No. _____.

I. CALCULATION OF APPLICATION FEE

	Number Filed		Number Extra		Rate	Basic Fee
						\$760.00
Total Claims	27	-20=	7	x	\$18.00	\$126.00
Independent Claims	9	- 3=	6	x	\$78.00	\$468.00

Multiple Dependent Claims

☐ yes Additional Fee = \$260.00
☒ no Additional Fee = NONE

TOTAL \$1,354.00

- ☐ A statement claiming small entity status is attached or has been filed in the above-identified parent application and its benefit under 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(a) is hereby claimed. Reduced fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9(F) (50% of total) paid herewith \$ 0.00.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ in payment of the application filing fees is attached.
- ☒ Charge Fee(s) to Deposit Account No. 09-0459 Order No. SE9-99-007 (1963-7342). A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
- ☒ The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for filing this application, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 09-0459. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,

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